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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Masahiro MASUZAWA, Masahiro MITA, Fumio KIMURA, and
Toshiko TAKAHASHI
**THIN TYPE PERMANENT MAGNET GENERATOR AND DISKETTE
INCORPORATING SAME**
Assignee: HITACHI METALS, LTD.
Our Ref. Q64468

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 33 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 7 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-13), executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is the Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form 1449, along with a Confidential Information Disclosure Statement.

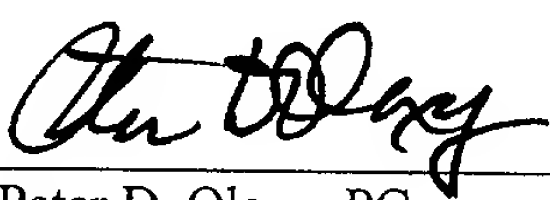
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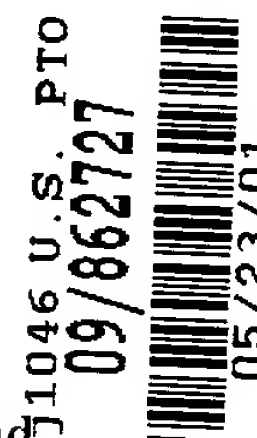
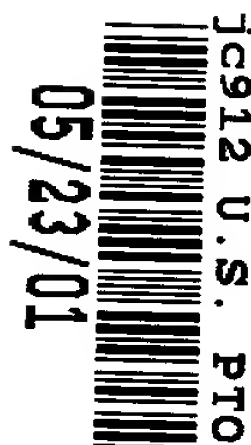
Total claims	44	-	20	=	24	x	\$18.00	=	\$432.00
Independent claims	2	-	3	=		x	\$80.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee									\$710.00
TOTAL FILING FEE									\$1142.00
Recordation of Assignment									\$40.00
TOTAL FEE									\$1182.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1142.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from May 30, 2000, and February 19, 2001, based on JP Application Nos. 2000-159440, and 2001-41430 respectively. The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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